FORUM

SEPTEMBER 2002

2002 BENEFACTOR SPONSORS

MERCURY LDO REPROGRAPHICS

CivilWorks Inc

CM REPROGRAPHICS

2002 Patron Sponsors

T.J. Krob Consulting Engineers, Inc.

CONSULTING ENGINEERS
HARRIS P.C.
770 Pilot Road, Suite I, Las Vegas, Nevada 89119
Tel: 702/269-1575 Fax: 702/269-1574

Professional Design Associates, Inc.
Electrical* Mechanical Engineers
108 Market Street Henderson, NV 89015
Engineering Solutions
PDA
From Outside the Box

Western Technologies Inc.
The Quality People
Since 1955

It's coming!
It will be here before we know it.
We only have 983 Days til C-day!

2005

The AIA National Convention in Las Vegas

"Advance Registration Assessment"

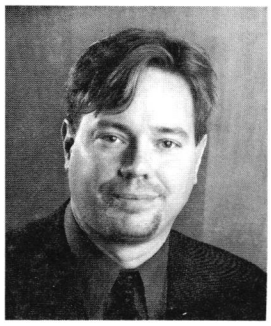
$250.00 Anticipated C.E. Registration Fee in 2005
-$150.00 Advance Registration for AIA LV Members
$100.00 Potential Savings to AIA LV Members

We need your approval and your pledge to pay your advance registration fee through an assessment of $150.00. The assessment would be included on your 2003 AIA National dues invoice and would be payable in two ways over the next two years. (1) You can pay the $150.00 at one time in 2003 and receive an additional $25.00 discount ($125.00), or (2) You can pay the $150.00 in two payments of $75.00 each, one in 2003 and the balance in 2004.

The request for the assessment will be brought before the membership for approval at the September Membership Meeting scheduled for 6PM on Wednesday, September 18th, at the UNLV School of Architecture. Attend the meeting and vote to approve the "Advance Registration Assessment". Take the first step in preparing the Chapter to host the Convention in 2005.

AIA
Las Vegas Forum

A Monthly Publication of the Las Vegas Chapter of the American Institute of Architects



AIA LAS VEGAS PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

R. Brandon Sprague, AIA

Learning is Fun

I hope everyone had an enjoyable and relaxing summer. With the end of summer brings the start of school. Our September meeting will be at UNLV focusing on the status of the college and the state of architectural education.

Congratulations to the UNLV School of Architecture on its three year accreditation renewal. Hopefully we will have a new Director under contract before the meeting. If so, that person will give a short presentation on their background and their goals for the school. President Carol Harter has also been invited to share her thoughts on the school, hopefully she can attend. Jeff Koep, Dean of Fine Arts, will be there to address the state of the school, its director and its context within the University and answer any questions.

Advanced Registration Assessment

I trust all the members have received a letter from Brad Schulz, Chair of the 2005 AIA Las Vegas Convention Steering Committee. The letter clearly explains what the assessment is and the reasons for it. Every chapter that hosts the national convention assesses its members to provide seed money with which to plan and make preliminary purchases. With national expecting approximately 25,000 members to attend the conference, that's going to take a lot of first class planning. I encourage everyone to attend the September 18th meeting, get better informed (if necessary) and vote **Yes** to the Advanced Registration Assessment

A HEARTFELT THANK YOU

Kelly and I have been so touched and comforted
by the outpouring of concern, good thoughts
and prayers from all of our friends in AIA
following the passing of my mother.
Each of your cards, calls and
words of comfort have helped us,
more than we can say,
to get through a very difficult time.
Our thanks to each of you.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

We are pleased to welcome these new members to AIA Las Vegas:

ASSOCIATES

Roger Conine, Assoc. AIA
Hnedak Bobo Group
Patricia Stissi, Assoc. AIA
Balente Development

ALLIED

Bonnie Fogel
Unica Homes, Inc.
Ruth Taylor
Polar Carpets & Rugs

BRIEFS:

CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES to **David Frommer, AIA** and **Heather Curry,** married August 25th at Lake Tahoe, and now enjoying a fabulous honeymoon in Austrailia.

Congratulations to **Dekker, Perich, Holmes, Sabatini Architects** for receiving the 2002 AIA Western Mountain Region Architectural Firm Award.

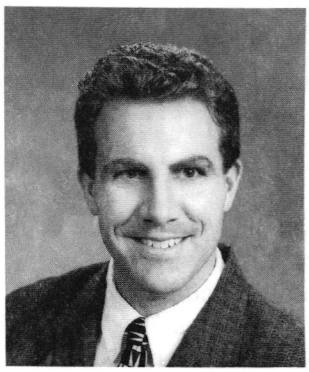
Congratulations to **Pat Deputy** who has been promoted to the position of Regional Sales Manager for Frazee Paint. Pat has been in the paint business for over 30 years and has lived in Las Vegas since 1986. He is an active member of the AIA Las Vegas Chapter and the CSI and AGC associations as well.

John Klai, AIA and **Dan Juba, AIA**, principals of **Klai Juba Architects**, announce the election of **John Wald, AIA** to associate in the firm. Wald a 1990 graduate of North Dakota State University has been a Project Manager with Klai Juba since December, 1995, when the firm was established.

The Richardson Partnership is busy these days...TRPinc recently moved into a larger office space in the Hughes' Airport Center. The firm now employs 7 full time staff members and has been open since 1996. They were recently selected by the Associated General Contractors' Association to design the tenant improvements to their new office building; and also selected by the Plumbers & Pipefitters Local 525 to design their new Journeyman Apprentice Training Center (JATC). They also designed Ahern Equipment Rentals new maintenance / operations building on Bonanza Road.

Ninyo & Moore performed design geotechnical services in support of CH2M Hill for the 2538 Zone Reservoir Inlet/Outlet Pipeling project.

The final design phase of the new North Las Vegas Justice Facility project by **RAFI** is underway, and progressing as scheduled. The new facility will include three courtrooms, holding cells, a warrant service area, office space, judges' chambers, booking, video court, visitor's area and service areas. Site improvements include utility services, parking, landscaping, lighting and other site related items.



AIA NEVADA PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Mark Johnson, AIA

The **AIA Nevada Excellence in Design and Service Awards** are only one month away. Everything you need to know is right here.

Date: October 12, 2002
6pm reception, 7pm dinner, 8pm awards

Location: John Ascuaga's Nugget, Sparks NV

Banquet Tickets: $60 each -Party table for 8 (includes wine and sponsor recognition) $650

Call 775-827-6600 to order

Accommodations: John Ascuaga's Nugget
$95 per night -Call 1-800-648-1177 or 775-356-3300 to reserve a room at the AIA rate

Transportation: 1 hour flight or 7 hour scenic drive

Included at the event will be the highly anticipated unveiling of this year's Excellence in Design winners as well as the awards ceremony for the AIA Nevada Service Awards. The event will include a silent auction to benefit the re-entry program at Truckee Meadows Community College featuring one of a kind artwork and gift packages.

If the banquet itself is not enough to entice you, consider these Special Events:

Juror's Reception: October 11, 2002 7pm
John Ascuaga's Nugget

Golf Excursion: October 12, 2002 6:30am
The Dragon golf course at Nakoma Resort - $150
(www.nakomaresort.com) Limited to 32 golfers
Call 775-827-6600 to reserve a spot

Tour: Frank Lloyd Wright Designed Clubhouse – free with golf - Nakoma Resort

Don't delay, make your reservations today.

2005 AIA NATIONAL CONVENTION

Randy Lavigne, Executive Director

On May 12-14, 2005, the Las Vegas Chapter of the American Institute of Architects will host the AIA National Convention here in Las Vegas! In the history of the AIA, this is the first time that Las Vegas has ever been chosen as the location of our organization's convention. This provides a wonderful opportunity for our Chapter to showcase our exceptional city and to highlight the contributions and the innovations made by our AIA members in creating the most visually exciting, entertaining and livable communities in the country.

In order for our Chapter to host an event of this magnitude, we need the support and collaboration of all our members. At the same time we want to be sure that all our members receive the benefits of this endeavor.

By 2005, it is anticipated that the Registration Fee for participation in the Convention Continuing Education programs will be as much as $250.00 per person. As the "hosting Chapter" AIA Las Vegas has negotiated with AIA National for **all Architect and Associate members of AIA Las Vegas to be registered in advance for the Convention at a discounted rate of $150.00 each. So, each AIA LV member will receive a discount of potentially $100.00.** (This special discounted fee is contingent upon the approval of the $150.00 Advance Registration Assessment by our AIA Las Vegas members.)

Every Chapter that hosts the Convention (Colorado, the Carolinas, San Diego, Chicago) uses this method of advance registration in order to secure the necessary advance funding. AIA Las Vegas is no different. In order to secure the "seed money" we need to plan and prepare for the Convention for the next three years.... **We need your approval and your pledge to pay your discounted registration fee through an assessment of $150.00.** The assessment would be included on your 2003 AIA National dues invoice and would be payable in two ways over the next two years. (1) You can pay the $150.00 at one time in 2003 and receive an additional $25.00 discount ($125.00), or (2) You can pay the $150.00 in two payments of $75.00 each, one in 2003 and the balance in 2004.

The request for the assessment will be brought before the membership for approval at the September Membership Meeting scheduled for 6PM on Wednesday, September 18th, at the UNLV School of Architecture. We are asking that you support your Chapter by attending the meeting and voting to approve the "Advance Registration Assessment".

Your approval is very important. It will make it possible for everyone to win. and together we can prepare and host the most memorable AIA National Convention in the history of the Institute.

983 Days until C-Day!

2002 MEETINGS AND EVENTS

2002 AIA NEVADA "EXCELLENCE IN DESIGN" & "DISTINGUISHED SERVICE" PROGRAMS

LAST CALL FOR ENTRIES - ENTER YOUR PROJECTS - . If you haven't already done so, contact Joan Jeffers at AIA Northern Nevada (775-827-6600) to enter your project in this year's statewide Excellence In Design Program.

Submittals are due to the AIA Northern Nevada office on Friday, September 27th.

The "Excellence In Design" categories include Built, Unbuilt, Interior Environment, Urban Design, Open Category, and Academic. Entry fees are $125.00 per project / $25.00 Academic Only. Entry Forms and Fees must be received at the AIA Northern Nevada office prior to Friday, September 27th -- And Submittal Binders and Materials are due to the AIA Northern Nevada office on September 27th.

In addition, the jury for the AIA Nevada Distinguished Service Awards program will meet on Friday, August 30th to review the nominations and make selections for awards in the categories of The Nevada Silver Medal, The Architecture Firm Award, The Nevada Service Award, The Patron Award, the Young Architect Citation, the Associate Award and the Allied Member Award.

MAKE YOUR PLANS TO GO TO RENO FOR THE DESIGN AWARDS WEEKEND.

Recipients of awards will be announced at the AIA Nevada Excellence In Design Awards Banquet being held on Saturday, October 12th, 6PM at John Ascuaga's Nugget Hotel in Sparks, Nevada. Tickets are $60.00 and must be ordered through the AIA Northern Nevada office at 775-927-6600.

To make a hotel reservations for the Awards Banquet, contact John Ascuaga's Nugget Hotel Reservations office at 775-356-3000. AIA Northern Nevada has arranged for a block of rooms at a special rate of $92.00 per night. A special Golf Excursion is also planned for October 12, 2002 6:30am at The Dragon golf course at Nakoma Resort - $150 (www.nakomaresort.com) Limited to 32 golfers Call 775-827-6600 to reserve a spot. Or, tour the beautiful Frank Lloyd Wright Designed Clubhouse at the Nakoma Resort. See you in Reno.

NOVEMBER MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The AIA Las Vegas Committee on the Environment will present the "10 Shades of Green" exhibition for our November Membership Meeting. The opening reception will be held at 6PM on Wednesday, November 20th, in the 3rd Floor Gallery at Neonopolis in downtown Las Vegas. Watch for additional information regarding the exhibit and the membership meeting in next month's newsletter.

SEPTEMBER MEMBER MEETING
Welcome Back to School

The September Membership Meeting will provide a "welcome back to school" for students, faculty, staff AND for the professional community. Join us on Wednesday, September 18th at the UNLV School of Architecture, at 6PM for the "AIA Welcome Back Reception".

This meeting will provide an opportunity for our members to celebrate the accreditation, possibly welcome the new Director and discuss ideas of what it takes to educate an architect. President Carol Harter, Dean Jeff Koep, Interim Director Bob Tracy, and UNLV Advisory Chair Ray Lucchesi have been invited to discuss the real requirements of educating architects and design professionals in our changing academic and professional worlds.

Also, an important piece of Chapter business will be conducted. The request for the "Advance Registration Assessment" will be brought before the membership for approval. We are asking that you support your Chapter by attending the meeting and voting to approve the "Advance Registration Assessment".

Make your plans to attend and RSVP to 895-0936 right away.

AIA LV FALL PUTTING TOURNAMENT FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13TH

SOLD OUT!!!! The 9th Annual AIA Las Vegas Fall Putting Tournament is sold out and is being held at 6PM on Friday, September 13th at Angel Park Golf Course. There are fabulous prizes, great food, good company, challenging competition and a lot of fun for everyone.

If you missed getting in on the Putting Tournaments this year, you can go ahead and sign up now for 2003. Call Kelly at 895-0936 to reserve a spot for the Spring and Fall Tournaments next year.

ANDERSEN CORPORATION

DEE ROBINSON
Business Development Representative

3150 Soft Breezes #2211, Las Vegas, NV 89128
Tel 702.521.2086 Fax 702.562.9975 Cell 702.521.2086
e-mail: drobinson@andersencorp.com
www.andersenwindows.com

2002 MEETINGS AND EVENTS

AIA LAS VEGAS PRODUCT SHOW

HERE IS YOUR CHANCE TO GET ALL THE AIA C.E. CREDITS YOU NEED....WIN CASH PRIZES....LEARN SOMETHING VALUABLE .....MEET AND NETWORK WITH YOUR FRIENDS AND ASSOCIATES ..... AND HAVE A GREAT TIME!!!

Mark your calendar right now for **Tuesday, October 15th**. You must attend the AIA Las Vegas Product Show -- featuring 110 Exhibitors with the latest products, services and technologies. Each time you visit (sign in at) a booth you increase your chances of winning one of the $3,000.00 in CASH PRIZES.... and you receive AIA C.E. Credits.

If you are an Architect you can get all your AIA C.E. credits for the year ...by attending the CSI Seminars and the AIA LV Product Show!

If you are an Associate or Allied Member you can still keep up with what is happening in the industry and what your competition is doing.....AND Win Cash Prizes.

PLUS.... there's great food & drinks....and entertainment.Don't miss this great AIA event.

YOU are the reason that our exhibitors want to participate in this show. It is very important to the Chapter that you show up and visit each of the exhibitor booths. What better way to learn the latest innovations in the industry...eat, drink, win prizes and socialize too.....SO, BRING YOURSELF AND ALL YOUR FRIENDS AND ASSOCIATES.

The AIA Las Vegas Product Show...IS also the AIA October Membership Meeting.... scheduled for 3-8PM - Tuesday, October 15th in the Royal Pavilion of the Riviera Hotel Convention Center. Mark your calendar ...you don't want to miss this event.

Where else can you get your AIA C.E. Credits... Free Food & Drink....Music & Entertainment....and Chances to Win Fabulous CASH Prizes!

AMERICAN INSURANCE & INVESTMENT

Bill Valent

2810 W. Charleston Blvd. Suite G-69 • Las Vegas, NV 89102
Phone: (702) 877-1760 • Fax: (702) 877-0937
Toll Free: (877) 806-5317 • Toll Free Fax: (877) 806-5316

CSI & AIA CONTINUING EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Presented BY C.S.I. (Construction Specification Institute) in Conjunction with the AIA Las Vegas Product Show - **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2000**
Riviera Hotel Meeting Rooms
YOU MUST REGISTER TO ATTEND THE CSI SEMINARS
Use the registration form included in this newsletter.

SEMINARS 1 & 2 : JOIN US FOR A CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

Seminar #1 = 9:30am – 10:30 am
"SOLID SURFACE PHYSICAL PROPERTIES & FABRICATION SPECIFIERS"
Presented by Lenny Elbon, Director of Technical Services for the International Solid Surface Fabricators Association
Cost $10

Seminar #2 = 10:30 am – 11:30 am
"UNIVERSAL DESIGN IN HEALTHCARE"
Presented by Kathryn Crosoto Registered Interior Designer Fielden & Partners
Cost $10

LUNCH 12n – 1:30 pm: HOSTED BY ICYNENE

Seminar #3 = 12:30 - 1:30 pm
"SYSTEM APPROACH to THERMAL PERFORMANCE and the CONTROL OF CONDENSATION and MOLD in BUILDIG DESIGN"
Presented by John Segin Manufacturers Representative for ICYNENE

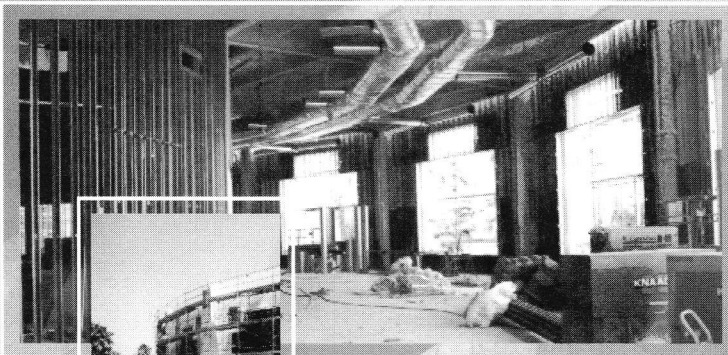
Seminar #4 = 2 pm – 3 pm + AFTERNOON REFRESHMENTS
Michael Bouse, City of Henderson, Building & Safety Department
Presenting a Panel Discussion:
"Design Effects of the New International Building Code"
Cost $20

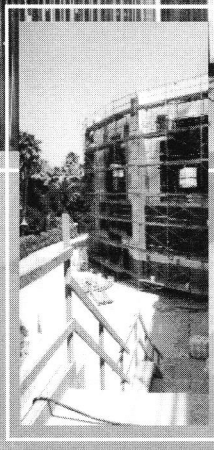
Since its founding in 1995, Klai Juba Architects has had the opportunity to serve and develop relationships with significant players in the gaming industry including Coast Casinos, MGM Mirage, Hard Rock Hotel and Casino, Millennium Management, Four Seasons and the Mandalay Resort Group and their family of Las Vegas gaming properties including Circus Circus, Excalibur, Luxor, Monte Carlo and the Hacienda; the Colorado Belle and Edgewater in Laughlin, Nevada and the MotorCity Casino in Detroit.

- Mandalay Bay Convention Center, Mandalay Place Retail Connection and 1,200 Suite Hotel Tower;
- The Orleans Cinema, Hotel Tower, Parking Structure, Casino and Arena Expansion;
- Rampart Casino Alterations, Buffet, Coffee Shop and Fine Dining;
- Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Las Vegas Master Plan Expansion including Simon's Restaurant, Parking Structure, Meeting Rooms and Bungalow Row;
- Silverton Hotel & Casino Miscellaneous Remodel and Master Plan Expansion;
- MonteLago Casino at Lake Las Vegas;
- The Cannery Hotel & Casino; and
- Royal Vacation Suites.

Klai Juba projects beyond Las Vegas include the Pala Casino in Northern San Diego County, CA; Little River Casino in Manistee, MI; and they are currently serving as Architect of Record for the Hard Rock Hotel and Casinos in Tampa and Hollywood, FL, for the Seminole Tribe of Florida.

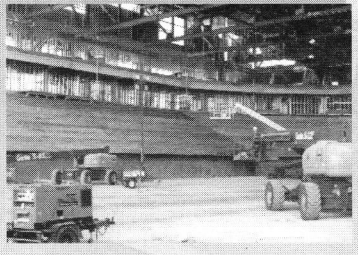
MANDALAY BAY

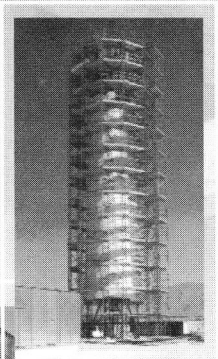




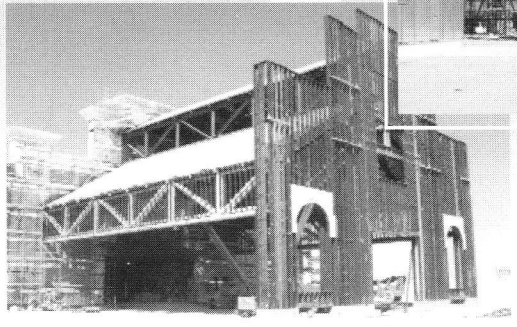
MONTELAGO CASINO

THE ORLEANS ARENA





THE CANNERY



KLAI JUBA
architects

4444 West Russell Road, Suite J,
Las Vegas, Nevada 89118

p.702.221.2254
f.702.221.7655

www.klaijuba.com

NEVADA DESIGN AWARDS

THE 2002 AIA NEVADA "EXCELLENCE IN DESIGN" PROGRAM

THERE IS STILL TIME TO ENTER YOUR PROJECT

The entry deadline has been extended. Contact either AIA Las Vegas (702-895-0936) or AIA Northern Nevada (775-827-6600) for Entry Forms.
Forms and Fees MUST be sent to AIA Northern Nevada office.

SUBMITTAL BINDERS AND MATERIALS ARE DUE TO THE
AIA NORTHERN NEVADA OFFICE
AT NOON ON
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2002

AIA Northern Nevada
P.O. Box 607
Reno, NV 89504-0607
Phone: 775-827-6600

ALSO ...MAKE YOUR PLANS TO CELEBRATE
"EXCELLENCE IN DESIGN"
IN RENO ON OCTOBER 12TH

Awards Banquet & Presentations - 6PM, Saturday, October 12th,
John Ascuaga's Nugget Hotel - Sparks, Nevada
Tickets $60.00 Each - Contact AIA NN at 775-827-6600

Hotel Accommodations - $92.00 per night,
Contact Reservations at John Ascuaga's Nugget Hotel
at 1-800-648-1177 or 775-356-3300

Golf Excursion - $150 per player - The Dragon Golf Course at Nakoma Resort
6:30AM - October 12th - Call 775-827-6600 to reserve a spot

CSI & AIA CONTINUING EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

CSI SEMINARS

ONE FULL DAY OF C.E. CREDITS

Presented BY C.S.I. (Construction Specification Institute) in Conjunction With

the AIA Las Vegas Product Show

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2000

Riviera Hotel Meeting Rooms by the Royal Pavilion

These Seminars are registered for CSI and AIA C.E. Credits. Attend all seminars and receive 4 AIA C.E. Credits, then at 3:00 PM attend the AIA LV Product Show .... with 110 Exhibitors, Cash Prizes, Food and Drink and MORE C.E. Credit Opportunities.

SEMINARS 1 & 2 : JOIN US FOR A CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

Seminar #1 = 9:30am – 10:30 am
"SOLID SURFACE PHYSICAL PROPERTIES & FABRICATION SPECIFIERS"
Presented by Lenny Elbon, Director of Technical Services for the International Solid Surface Fabricators Association
Cost $10

Seminar #2 = 10:30 am – 11:30 am
"UNIVERSAL DESIGN IN HEALTHCARE"
Presented by Kathryn Crosato, Registered Interior Designer, Fielden & Partners
Cost $10

LUNCH 12n – 1:30 pm: HOSTED BY ICYNENE

Seminar #3 – 12:30-1:30 pm
"SYSTEM APPROACH to THERMAL PERFORMANCE and the CONTROL OF CONDENSATION and MOLD in BUILDING DESIGN" - Presented by John Segin, Manufacturers Representative for ICYNENE

Seminar #4 = 2 pm – 3 pm + AFTERNOON REFRESHMENTS
"DESIGN EFFECTS OF THE NEW INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODE" Presented by Michael Bouse, City of Henderson, Building & Safety Department Presenting a PANEL Discussion:
Cost $20

AIA PRODUCT SHOW OPENS AT 3:00pm - 110 Exhibitors and a chance for additional C.E. Credits

YOU MUST REGISTER TO ATTEND THE CSI SEMINARS

To register fill out and FAX this form to CSI @ 702-737-4965.

Seminar #1 - $10 ☐ Seminar #2 - $10 ☐

Lunch Seminar #3 - FREE, HOSTED BY ICYNENE ☐ Seminar #4 - $20 ☐

TOTAL, ---- ALL SEMINARS $40 -

Mail payment to: RG Group Inc., 2100 S. Maryland Parkway, Suite 7-B, Las Vegas, NV 89104; or,
Register at the door. Payments by check or cash only. (No shows will be invoiced). Please print clearly.

NAME:_____
COMPANY: _____
ADDRESS: _____
PHONE:_____FAX: _____

AIA Las Vegas

DON'T FORGET TO RSVP

FOR THE

SEPTEMBER MEMBERSHIP MEETING

"WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL and Educating an Architect at UNLV"

The September Membership Meeting will provide a "welcome back to school" for students, faculty, staff AND for the professional community. Join us for the "AIA Welcome Back Reception and learn the latest news from the UNLV School of Architecture. This meeting will provide an opportunity for our members to celebrate the accreditation, possibly welcome the new Director and discuss ideas of what it takes to educate an architect. President Carol Harter, Dean Jeff Koep, Interim Director Bob Tracy, and UNLV Advisory Chair Ray Lucchesi have been invited to discuss the real requirements of educating architects and design professionals in our changing academic and professional worlds.

Also, an important piece of Chapter business will be conducted. The request for the "Advance Registration Assessment" will be brought before the membership for approval. We are asking that you support your Chapter by attending the meeting and voting to approve the "Advance Registration Assessment".

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH

UNLV School of Architecture
Auditorium, Lobby and Architecture Studies Library
Reception 6:00pm – 7:00PM Progarm

Sponsored by…

YOUR NAME HERE……

WE NEED SPONSORS FOR THIS MEETING
Call Randy Lavigne at 895-0936 to be a sponsor.

Please RSVP to 895-0936
by Monday, Sept. 16th

AIA Las Vegas

DON'T FORGET TO RSVP

FOR THE

SEPTEMBER MEMBERSHIP MEETING

"WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL
and Educating an Architect at UNLV"

The September Membership Meeting will provide a "welcome back to school" for students, faculty, staff AND for the professional community. Join us for the "AIA Welcome Back Reception" and learn the latest news from the UNLV School of Architecture. This meeting will provide an opportunity for our members to celebrate the accreditation, possibly welcome the new Director and discuss ideas, or what it takes to educate an architect. President Carol Harter, Dean Jeff Koep, Interim Director Bob Tracy, and UNLV Advisory Chair Ray Lucas have been invited to discuss the real requirements of educating architects and design professionals in our changing academic and professional worlds.

Also, an important piece of Chapter business will be conducted. The request for the "Advance Registration Assessment" will be brought before the membership for approval. We are asking that you support your Chapter by attending the meeting and voting to approve the "Advance Registration Assessment".

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH

UNLV School of Architecture

Auditorium, Lobby and Architecture Studies Library

Reception 6:00pm - 7:00PM Program

Sponsored by...

YOUR NAME HERE.....

WE NEED SPONSORS FOR THIS MEETING

Call Randy Lavigne at 895-0936 to be a sponsor.

Please RSVP to 895-0936

by Monday, Sept. 16th

Meeting Notices doc

AIA Las Vegas
A Chapter of The American Institute of Architects

If you've reserved your team, DON'T FORGET.....

The 9th Annual (Fall) AIA Las Vegas Putting Tournament

Date:	Friday, September 13th, 2002
Shotgun Start:	6:30PM (Team Captains & Registration at 6:00PM)
Location:	Angel Park Golf Club Putting Course

IT'S SOLD OUT

Both the Spring and Fall AIA Putting Tournaments sell out quickly each year. If you'd like to have a team in the **2003** Tournaments.....reserve it NOW by contacting Kelly Lavigne at 895-0936

ALSO, SPONSORSHIPS FOR GOLF & PUTTING TOURNAMENTS ARE AVAILABLE

Contact the AIA Golf & Putting Chairman:
Brandon Potts, Allied Director of AIA LV
CivilWorks, Inc. – 702-876-3474

AIA Las Vegas
A Chapter of The American Institute of Architects

If you've reserved your team, DON'T FORGET....

The 9th Annual (Fall) AIA Las Vegas Putting Tournament

Date: Friday, September 13th, 2002

Shotgun Start: 6:30PM
(Team Captains & Registration at 6:00PM)

Location: Angel Park Golf Club Putting Course

IT'S SOLD OUT

Both the Spring and Fall AIA Putting Tournaments sell out quickly each year. If you'd like to have a team in the 2003 Tournaments.....reserve it NOW by contacting Kelly Lavigne at 895-0936

ALSO, SPONSORSHIPS FOR GOLF & PUTTING TOURNAMENTS ARE AVAILABLE

Contact the AIA Golf & Putting Chairman:
Brandon Potts, Allied Director of AIA LV
CivilWorks, Inc. – 702-876-3474

UNLV REPORT

Bob Tracy, Assoc. AIA
Interim Director
UNLV School of Architecture

The Fall '02 semester is about to begin and, once again, the School of Architecture is grateful for the continued support of the professional community to help us provide the myriad of curricular offerings in Architecture, Interior Design, and Landscape. The pool of adjunct faculty is deep in teaching qualifications and broad in experience. The strength of the program is the sustained commitment made by the professional community to the School...and our students are the beneficiaries.

The activities this Fall '02 semester, from guest speakers to exhibitions, promise to be exciting and stimulating. I hope to see all of you at as many of these activities as you are able to make with your busy schedules. Be sure to mark your calendars! Also, be on the lookout for announcements this September regarding the search for a new Director and the expansion of the Sogg facility. We hope your summer was enjoyable and rewarding and, for those professional members who are on our adjunct list of faculty, we welcome you back for what promises to be a most interesting and stimulating Fall semester.

COMMITTEE FOR LIVABLE COMMUNITIES (CLC)

Chuck Kubat, AIA -Co-chair

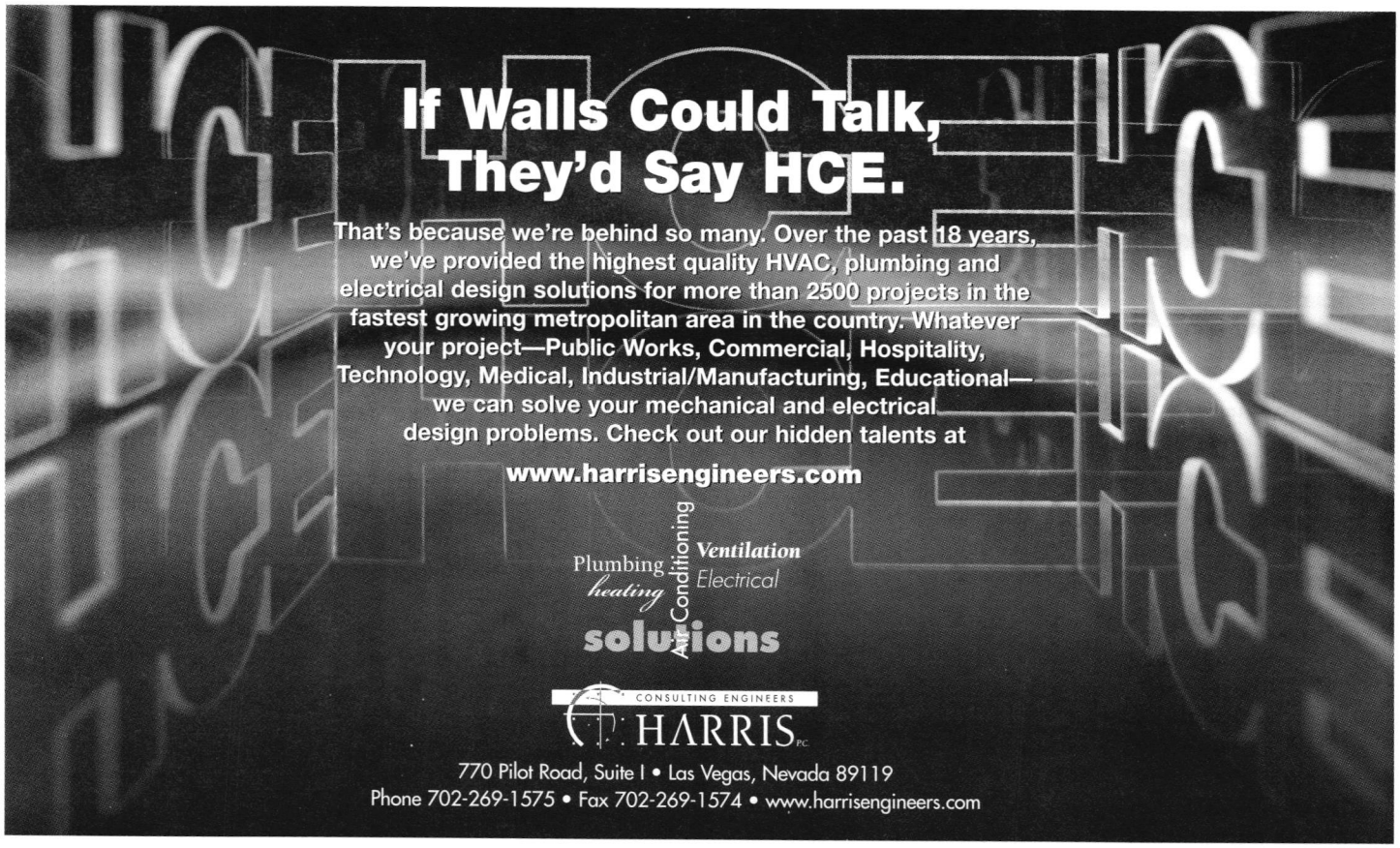
The next program to be presented by the Committee for Livable Communities will focus on the South County Airport Environs Master Planning. It will l be presented on Tuesday, September 24th at 6PM, UNLV School of Architecture.

Please mark your calendar and plan to attend.

JOINT ASSOCIATION CHARITY DRIVE

Each year, the AIA, APWA, CSI, AGC, ACEC and other affiliated organizations, lead by Peggy Pound, APWA Chair of Charity Events, join together to raise money and toys for local children's charities. This year we are sponsorsing Renardo Martinez Pre-School (110 Children - Ages 4-5). It is our plan to put a coat and a pair of new shoes on each child and host a Christmas Party with a Santa Clause at the school. We will be registered at Target and Toys R Us, so anyone wising to make a contribution can do so.

Contributions and donations can also be made at the Joint Association Charity Luncheon, being held on December 5th, 11:30AM at Palace Station (upstairs meeting rooms). The cost of the luncheon is $25.00 pp. RSVP to Peggy Pound at 804-2070 or e-mail PeggyP@GCWallace.com



AIA LAS VEGAS 2003 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Randy Lavigne, Executive Director

The results of the election of officers and directors to serve on the AIA Las Vegas Board for 2003 are as follows:

President:
Dale Scheideman, AIA
(Clark County School District)

President- Elect:
Lendall Mains, AIA
(Lendall Mains Architect)

Director of Financial Resources:
Sundaresh Kamath, AIA
(HCA Architects)

Director of Scholarships:
Shelly Ann Hayden. AIA
Tate Snyder Kimsey Architects)

Director (2nd Year):
Mark Hobaica, AIA
(HCA Architects)

Director (2nd Year):
Wade Simpson, AIA
(Welles Pugsley Architects)

Director (1 Year):
Curt Carlson, AIA
(Swisher Hall, AIA, Ltd.)

Director (1 Year):
Sean Coulter, AIA
(Welles Pugsley Architects)

Intern Director:
Richard Van Diepen, Assoc. AIA
(Lucchesi Galati Architects)

Associate Director:
Robin Treston, Assoc. AIA
(The Treston Group)

Allied Director:
Brandon Potts
(CivilWorks, Inc.)

Education Liaison:
Bob Tracy, Assoc. AIA
(UNLV School of Architecture)

Past President:
Brandon Sprague, AIA
(Dekker, Perich, Holmes, Sabatini Architects)

If you have ideas or suggestions for programs, speakers or events for 2003, now is the time to contact the AIA office and make your thought known. The 2003 Programs and Budgets are being planned now.

A I A S LAS VEGAS PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Craig Palacios AIAS, ASID, President AIAS Las Vegas

As this years AIAS Las Vegas president I would like to publicly thank all of the firms and the AIA for the years of support that you have given us. Every year our organization receives support from firms and from the AIA Las Vegas, in various forms, including financial. Usually these benefactors receive no recognition, not even as much as a thank you letter from us. However, year after year AIAS can rely on the support being there. It is one of my goals this year to not only continue the relationship between AIA and AIAS, but to further it. I believe that each organization is vital to the other.

We are currently building an AIAS Las Vegas Web Site. Member, Spencer Hardy (last years president), has spearheaded the project and hopes to have it running by Spring Semester.

AIAS-ASID Newsletter issue one is scheduled for release August 30. AIAS member Jared Ledo has been elected editor and chief. Jennifer Strasner President of ASID has formatted the journal and has taken responsibility for production of the first issue. The newsletter will cover current issues, a calendar of events, and student written articles.

The School of Architecture sent President Craig Palacios and Vice President Jeff Wagner to 2002 AIAS Grassroots convention in Washington D.C.

AIAS 2002 BOARD EXECUTIVE BOARD

President: Craig Palacios - Craig is a fourth year student pursuing a dual degree, a Bachelors of Science in Architecture and a Bachelors of Art in Art History. He is also a member of ASID and the Plaster and Cement Masons Union local 797. Craig is an intern at the firm Sandberg & Small Architecture.

Vice Pres: Jeffrey Wagner -Jeff Wagner is a fourth year architecture student. He has implemented and coordinates the high school mentorship program.

Secretary: Spencer Hardy - Spencer is a fourth year architecture student. He was president of AIAS for the past two years. Spencer is an intern at Lucchesi, Galati Architects inc.

Treasurer: Kip Katich - Kip is a fourth year architecture student. He was a recipient of the 2002AIA Las Vegas Scholarship. Kip Interns at the firm Lineworks.

REPRESENTATIVES

1ST Year: No Rep./ 2nd Year: No Rep./
3rd Year: Bojana Jamborcic and Monique Neugebauer
4th Year: Eric Bond / 5th Year: No Rep./ 6th Year: No Rep.

NEW ELECTED POSITIONS - Graphic Designer: Myles Sciotto 4th year (last years vice president)
Events Coordinator: Carly Bennett 3rd year

CONNECTIONS - A Look at Programming

By Valerie Bugni, Organizational and Social Researcher
Lucchesi, Galati Architects, Inc.

Every building has come into existence only after a need for it has been articulated. From the beginning of human civilization, architects have prepared rudimentary or complex instructions on how to create buildings for shelter, leisure, worship, and commerce. Beginning in the eighteenth century, buildings became more complex but it was not until the Industrial Revolution at the beginning the nineteenth century that specialized building types came into existence. This growth of specialized building types contributed significantly to the increased need for comprehensive programming activities.

Contemporary interest in programming began in 1966 when the American Institute of Architects published its first booklet on the subject entitled, *Emerging Techniques of Architectural Practice*. While AIA has declared programming as a separate and important activity within the architectural delivery process, AIA has not formally adopted a position that would elevate programming to the level of a standard basic service on the B-141 agreement. (A forthcoming article will explore the impact of AIA's position. For example, did you know that architecture firms are losing millions of dollars a year in potential services fees to accounting and business consulting firms who offer strategy and planning services to facility executives?)

The definition of architectural programming varies widely among scholars and practitioners. Some view programming as a necessary and prerequisite step whereby the programmer uses a systematic process of gathering and analyzing information about a building or setting, and then uses that information to create guidelines for the performance of that setting. Others view programming as separate from design and one that should be performed by the building's owner. Still others perform cursory programming activities and rely on drawings, matrices, and diagrams to show basic departmental adjacencies, space requirements and circulation patterns. The American Institute of Architects has defined programming as the process of leading to a statement of an architectural problem and the requirements to be met in formulating a solution. Generally, the programming process involves steps of data collection, data analysis, data organization, communication of data, and evaluation. Each program is a customized statement of needs and aspirations relating to the building. Robert Hershberger, FAIA, professor at the University of Arizona College of Architecture, Planning, and Landscape Architecture, has defined programming as the first stage of the architectural design process in which the relevant values of the client, user, architect, and society are identified; important project goals are articulated; facts about the project are uncovered; and facility needs are made explicit.criminal.

According to Hershberger there are four basic programming approaches that architects use today: the Design-Based Architectural Model, the Knowledge-Based Architectural Model, the Agreement-Based Architectural Model, and the Value-Based Architectural Model.

The Design-Based Architectural Model assumes that programming and design occur simultaneously. Usually the architect meets briefly with the client to gain a general understanding of the project's needs and programming proceeds as the architect creates varying design concepts for the building. The client selects the design concept that best suits his needs and the designer modifies the design as the design process continues toward the construction documentation phase.

During the late 1960s, a second programming model emerged as the Civil Rights Movement enveloped our country. The Knowledge-Based Architectural Model assumes that the ensuing design solution should support the needs of the inhabitants of the building. This design movement arose to correct misalignments between people and the built environment especially for large complex buildings such as prisons, hospitals, and governmental office buildings. This approach has never gained much momentum, perhaps due to its emphasis on the social sciences.

The third model described by Hershberger is the Agreement-Based Architectural Model. This approach to programming assumes that the programmer is a facilitator of knowledge. He or she meets with key individuals such as CEOs, senior executives, or building committee members and directs them to acquire the necessary programmatic information needed for the design phase of the project. The key to the success of this approach is in the programmer's ability to gather accurate information from the client and relay this information to the designer of the building. The most notable example of this programming approach is seen in the problem-seeking approach of William Peña. The problem-seeking model emphasizes the separation of programming and design: programming being analysis and design being synthesis. The model involves over 140 considerations categorized into five major programming steps: goals, facts, concepts, needs, and problem. The fifth step, which states the problem, is the transition point where programming meets design. The five steps are each filtered through four major considerations: function, form, economy, and time.

Hershberger outlines one final approach to programming and he refers to it as the Value-Based Architectural Programming Model. Value-based programming is simply the accumulated strengths of the first three approaches discussed above. Hershberger refers to his model as the "HECTTEAS" model, which is the acronym for the value areas he tests during the programming phase of design. The value areas are: *(continued on page 10)*

CONTINUING EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

2002 C.E. LUNCHEONS

The following is a list of the C.E. Luncheons that are scheduled for 2002. Watch for details and updates on this page:

September 26th - "Civil Litigation"
by Burke & Associates
Location TBA

October 24th - AIA COTE Committee
C& A Floor Coverings

November 21st - Topic TBA
Ninyo & Moore

CLARK COUNTY ENERGY MANAGEMENT WORKSHOPS

Clark County and the U.S. Department of Energy's Rebuild America program are sponsoring a series of workshops aimed at educating government and the public on energy management practices. Each of these workshops will be registered for AIA C.E. Credit.

Workshops will be held at the Clark County Government Center Chambers (500 S. Grand Central Pkwy. 1st Floor) as follows:

September 13 - Total Building Controls
October 11 - Commissioning
November 8 - Envelope (windows & roofs)
December 13 - Energy Star Procurement

Individuals interested in attending can RSVP to 455-5528 or by e-mail at adminservinfo@co.clark.nv.us You must sign-in at the workshop in order to receive your AIA C.E. Credit.

American Society of Interior Designers

presents the

7th ANNUAL ASID DESIGNER VENDOR EXPO

Don't miss this event
Come and discover new resources and network with other designers.

Alexis Park Hotel
375 E. Harmon Ave.
Las Vegas, NV 89109

September 18, 2002

4:00PM - 8:00PM

SMPS EDUCATIONAL SERIES:

The Shortlist Interview Toolbox
Thursday, September 26th - 9:30A-12:30P
Clark County Library Conference Center
1401 E. Flamingo Road
Registered for 3 AIA C.E. Credits
SMPS Members $45.00 / Non-members $55.00
Call 798-5156 to register

CONNECTIONS: (continued from page 9)

Human: Functional, social, physical (ADA), and psychology.
Environmental: Site, climate, context, resources, and waste.
Cultural: Historical, institutional, political, and legal.
Technological: Materials, systems, and processes.
Temporal: Growth, change, and permanence.
Economic: Finance, construction, operations, maintenance, and energy.
Aesthetic: Form, space, color, and meaning.
Safety: Structural, fire, chemical, personal, and criminal.

Regardless of the differences among definitions of programming or differences among theoretical approaches to programming, one common *assumption* does exist among the majority of architectural programming approaches such as those described in the preceding paragraphs and that is: *The primary purpose of programming is to determine the needs and requirements for the design of the proposed building.* Applying this assumption further, the assumption that underlies a large percentage of architectural design theories and corresponding design activities is that the purpose of architecture is to create a "great" piece of artwork - a beautiful object. In other words, many design professionals approach building design from the vantage point of the building itself. Supporting this perspective, architect Phillip Johnson has said, "The job of the architect is to create beautiful buildings. That's all."

In a forthcoming article, I shall explore an alternative view of architecture and one that assumes that the building is an object *and a subject.* This alternative view also assumes that the building is an active participant in the lives of social actors and that it can act as an agent for organizational, communal, environmental, societal, and generational transformation. And, perhaps most fundamentally, this alternative view assumes the architect engages in the practice of "place-making."

About the author:

Valerie Bugni is an organizational and social researcher with Lucchesi, Galati Architects, Inc. If you have a comment or idea for an article, send her an email at vbugni@lgainc.com or telephone her at 702-263-7111.

THE BEST CONTRACT DOCUMENTS JUST GOT EASIER TO USE.

AIA Contract Documents were created from a consensus of contractors, attorneys, architects and engineers. They've been finely tuned through 110 years of legal precedent. And now they are easier to use than every before thanks to:

AIA Contract Documents release ***3.0 PLUS***

* 11 new or revised documents
* Faster-printing "DRAFT" watermark for clean, readable copying and faxing
* Multi-seat licenses
* Improved navigational aids and formatting

To order call or visit your AIA Las Vegas office - 702-895-0936
Rooms 135/136 Sogg Architecture Bldg. Brussels Street
UNLV Campus

AIA

Copyright 2002, The American Institute of Architects.
All rights reserved.

Architecture
Director of Business Development

Swisher & Hall, AIA, Ltd., is an award winning 25 person Las Vegas architecture and planning firm focused on educational, government, commercial and hospitality-entertainment markets. We are seeking an experienced Director of Business Development to expand our firms' influence and opportunities. Creating and implementing a sales and marketing business plan and budget, managing client relationships, conducting sales calls, and managing other salespeople as well as marketing and proposal staff are essential functions of this key position. Documented writing skills are essential as well as teamwork and leadership abilities. Microsoft, desktop publishing, and database application skills are also required.

Swisher & Hall, AIA, Ltd. is looking for a qualified person to accept the challenge of this exciting position. Become one of our leaders, with opportunities that are commensurate with your performance and abilities. A competitive salary and benefits package will be offered. Qualified applicants are encouraged to send a letter of intent, resume, and professional references to the following:

Swisher and Hall AIA, Ltd.
Attention: Victoria Nicolai
7373 Peak Drive, Suite 250
Las Vegas Nevada 89128
Facsimile: 702-363-6060
Electronic mail: vnicolai@swisherhall.com
Website: www.swisherhall.com

Architecture
Senior Project Designer

Swisher & Hall, AIA, Ltd., an award winning 25 person Las Vegas architecture and planning firm focused on educational, government, commercial and hospitality-entertainment markets is currently seeking a Senior Project Designer. This position will provide design leadership in support of our Client's goals. Design, Programming, verbal and graphic communication skills are essential. Knowledge of day-lighting and sustainable design is a plus. A Masters Degree in Architecture with a minimum of 10 years experience as a project designer, a licensed architect or licensable, and proficiency in CAD, Microsoft Office, Corel, PageMaker, and Photoshop desired.

Swisher & Hall, AIA, Ltd. is looking for a qualified person to accept the challenge of this exciting position, with opportunities that are commensurate with your performance and leadership abilities. A competitive salary and benefits package will be offered. Qualified applicants are encouraged to send a resume to the following:

Swisher and Hall AIA, Ltd.
Attention: Victoria Nicolai
7373 Peak Drive, Suite 250
Las Vegas Nevada 89128
Facsimile: 702-363-6060
Electronic mail: vnicolai@swisherhall.com
Website: www.swisherhall.com

PRSRT STD
AUTO
U.S. POSTAGE PAID
LAS VEGAS, NV
PERMIT NO: 1369

C A L E N D A R

SEPTEMBER

4-8 WMR Conference
Albuquerque, NM

10 AIA Las Vegas Board Meeting
11:30A -UNLV School of Architecture

13 AIA Fall Putting Tournament
6P- Angel Park Golf Course

18 AIA Membership Meeting
Welcome Back Reception
"Welcome Back to School"
Request for 2005 Assessment
6P - UNLV School of Architecture

19 AIA Nevada Ex Com Meeting
11:30A - UNLV School of Architecture

24 CLC Presentation - South County Airport
Environs Master Planning
6P - UNLV School of Architecture

OCTOBER

8 AIA Las Vegas Board Meeting
11:30A UNLV School of Architecture

10 AIA LV COTE Meeting
5:30P - Lucchesi Galati Architects

10 AIA Nevada Design Jurors Reception
5P - John Ascuaga's Nugget Hotel
Sparks, Nevada

11 Jury - AIA Nevada Excellence In Design
Sparks, Nevaa

12 AIA Nevada Excellence In Design and
Distinguished Service Awards
6P - John Ascuaga's Nugget Hotel
Sparks, Nevada

15 AIA Las Vegas Product Show
3P-9P - Riviera Hotel Royal Pavilion

17 AIA Nevada Ex Com Meeting
11:30A - UNLV School of Architecture

NOVEMBER

12 AIA Las Vegas Board Meeting
11:30A - UNLV School of Architecture

13 AIA Membership Meeting
6P "10 Shades of Green"
Neonopolis 3rd Floor Gallery

22 AIA Nevada Ex Com Meeting
11:30A - UNLV School of Architecture

AIA Las Vegas
UNLV Box 454018
4505 S. Maryland Parkway
Las Vegas, NV 89154-4018
www.aialasvegas.org
702.895.0936 Telephone
702.895.4417 Fax